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SOURCE EVALUATIONS ARE DEFINITIVE. APPRAISAL OF CONTENT IS TENTATIVE.

- [REDACTED] 25X1
1. [REDACTED] there were the following naval vessels anchored by the city quay in Ventspils:
- a. About nine vessels of a similar type, length about 60 meters. [REDACTED] 25X1
- (See sketch No. 1 [REDACTED])
- b. About ten vessels which looked like whaling boats; the estimated length of these was 50 meters. [REDACTED] 25X1
- the bow. (See sketch No. 2 [REDACTED])
- c. Five MTB's, with one torpedo tube on each side and no guns. [REDACTED] (See sketch No. 3.) 25X1
- d. Three or four MTB's of a different type from the above. These had a mast with a dome on top of it and a gun on the forward deck. [REDACTED] (See sketch No. 4)
- e. Approximately three smaller vessels with a tripod mast, a blue band around the funnel, and no armament. [REDACTED] (See sketch No. 5.) 25X1
- f. Two submarines, apparently old, with no deck gun. These were about 50 meters long, [REDACTED] (See sketch No. 6.) 25X1
2. On the coaling wharf there were two small gantry cranes and five ten-ton gantry cranes, all running on tracks. There was also a fixed crane with an estimated capacity of from 50 to 70 tons.

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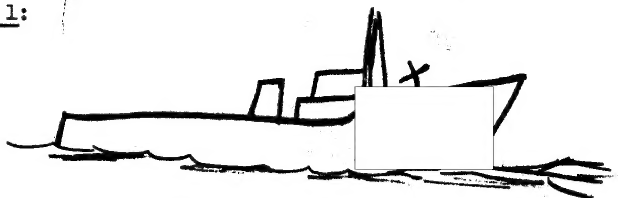
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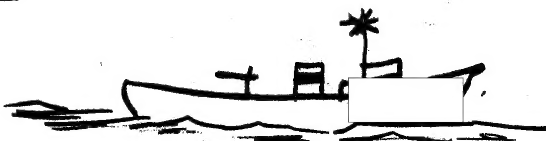
Types of Naval Vessels in Ventspils

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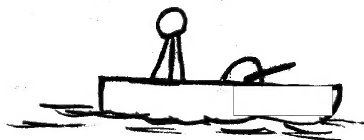


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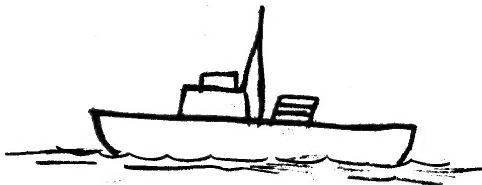


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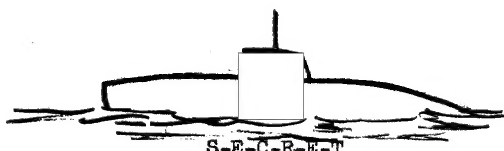


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Sketch No. 6:



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